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MARTHA JANE A DIPLOMAT | "SLANG" ROOT OF LANGUAGE

Even Stern Mamma Couldn't Deny She Had Obeyed the Strict Letter of the Law.

Martha Jane's sweet tooth had been indulged so much that her mother had issued the decree, "No more candy." and the raminder of the box had been relegated to the top shelf. A few days ago it was brought down and judiciously apportioned to Martha Jane, for whom a taste spelled more, and even a second taste did not satisfy. When her mother saw her about to take a third helping she remarked, Amphatically:

"Now, don't let me see you take another plece."

Presently Mrs. S- was called from the room, and when she returned she found her four-year-old daughter in the farthest corner of the couch. hastily making way with a nice, plump chocolate cream.

"Martha Jane," said her mother, in her sternest tones, "didn't I tell you not to let me see you take another piece of candy?"

"I know you did, mother," said the little diplomat, "but I took this one while you were gone."

Plain Diagnosis.

"Here is the case of a physician ar rested because he prescribed whisky for a patient without inquiring what the patient wanted the whisky for." "Any dub could tell that without

asking. The patient wanted a drink."

Age and a little brother tell on a girl.

In South America boys and girls never play together.

Idiom of Today in Correct Usage Tomorrow, Declares University Professor of English.

That the slang and idloms of today will be correct English tomorrow is the opinion of Prof. H. Glicksman of the English department, University of

Wisconsin. "Our language is made up of what was once slang, idiom, colloquialism, and jargon," he said lately, and warned that the most deplorable feature about slang was its tendency to

produce mental slovenliness. Professor Glicksman then referred to the word "mob" as slang of 200 years ago and as such denounced in the Spectator by Addison.

"It is an abbreviation of the word 'mobile.' Even so the word 'pep' is vital and virile and will survive with the word 'snappy.' But to gain recognition slang must be free from vulgarity and cheapness," said Professor Glicksman.

"The term 'How do you get that way?' is condemned because it is meaningless, but the term 'he has a pull' is approved as it is the opposite of 'push,' a word that has forged ahead through its own strength."-Outlook.

No Smoking Allowed. "Did you tell her that smoking isn't

"Did you point out the notice?"

allowed?"

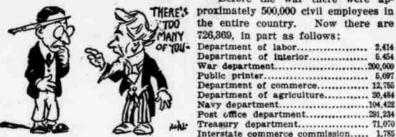
"Yes.

"Well, what did she do?" "Lit her cigarette with it."-Tit-

Shawls are of oriental origin.

Trying to Demobilize the Civilian War Machine

WASHINGTON.—The army and the navy are demobilized, but how to de mobilize the civilian war machine, with its army of superfluous employees and its swollen pay roll, is a big problem with which congress is wrestling. Before the war there were approximately 500,000 civil employees in



Shipping board...... 2.500 Members of congress, secretaries, clerks, help about capitol, justices of the Supreme court, United States Circuit Court of Appeals, and district court judges, clerks, marshals, United States attorneys, assistant United States district attorneys, ambassadors, and others in the diplomatic and consular service, staffs of congressional library, etc., are at least 6,000. Other figures are: Department of justice, 583; civil service commission, 373; department of state, 798; federal trade commission, 423; federal reserve board, 405; Smithsonian

institution, 462; Panama canal, 110. There are 200,000 more employees today in the government service throughout the country than before the war. Before the outbreak of the war there were 37,908 clerks and other civil employees of the government in the District of Columbia. This force was increased during the war until on No vember 11, 1918, when the armistice was declared, it numbered 117,454.

Who Wants to Play Hooky After Next September?

PHE latest word in pedagogy is embodied in the newly incorporated association, composed of America's foremost educators, the Society for Visual Education, whose purpose is to supplement the present textbook and laboratory system of education with moving pictures, carefully selected and pro-

luced by the organization. Members of the society believe noving pictures will teach at a glance what would require hours of study or of verbal explanation to acquire, and will reduce the cost of education by making it possible to teach the same amount in a shorter time, or more in the same time.

Films are being produced and disribution to schools is to begin in September.

Prof. Rollin D. Salisbury of the University of Chicago, is president of the society, Harley L. Clarke of Chicago, is vice president and general manager, and Prof. Forrest D. Moulton of the University of Chicago, is secretary.

The board of directors includes Prof. W. W. Atwood, Harvard; Dr. W. C. Bagley, Columbus; Prof. O. W. Caldwell, Columbia; Prof. J. M. Coulter, Chicago; Prof. V. C. Vaughan, Michigan; Prof. F. R. Moulton, Chicago; Prof. W. F. Russell, Iowa; Prof. Salisbury, and H. L. Clarke, Chicago. Other noted educators make up the advisory board, which includes C. E. Chadsey, University of Illinois; L. D. Coffman, University of Minnesota; L. T. Damon, Brown university; J. Paul Goode, University of Chicago, and F. J. Kelley,

The eyes of the educational world long have been turned toward moving pictures, particularly for the grades, but heretofore pictures have not been prepared under the direction of competent educators. The Society for Visual Education disclaims any intention of entertainment, but, believing the quickest path to the brain is through the eye, will use films to multiply the power of thorough, accurate and quick observation.

Nature Herself to Tell Age of Cliff Dwellings COAL DUST LODGED

TTOW old are the cliff dwellings in Mesa Verde National park and other pre-In historic ruins in the American Southwest? It has seemed that this question could never be definitely answered. There are no written records, and the Indians have no traditions concerning the prehistoric people-who



became of them. Now nature's records are likely to furnish the information sought. Some fifty pieces of wood from the ruins at Aztec, N. M., have been sent to Dr. A. E. Douglass in California. He expects, after examining the wood, to be able to tell the exact year in which the logs were cut and placed in the floors and the ceilings in the houses.

they were, when they lived and what

Prof. Earl Morris of Silverton, Colo., who has spent many years studying the Southwest, sent the ancient timbers to Doctor Douglas. He says, concern ing the experiment:

"It is common knowledge that the growth of each year adds a ring of wood to the circumference of the trunk of a tree. The amount of rainfall and the influence of the solar activity during any given year determine relative thickness, and composition of the wood that grows in that year.

"For nearly two decades Doctor Douglas has been studying the sequolas of California and the pines eastward to the continental divide. He has discovered that rainfall over this entire region has varied with the same distinct rhythm-a series of more moist ones for 3,218 years, the age of the oldest sequoias examined.

"The character of the rings, which grew during each cycle, differs in some particulars from that of every other cycle of rings in a piece of pine cut at an unknown date, and finding out where the same peculiarities occur in the 3,000-year record preserved in the sequoias, it can be stated when the tree grew, and the year in which it was felled."

Thirty-Three Cities Enjoying Daylight

DAYLIGHT saving is in effect in at least thirty-three American cities and towns, notwithstanding the repeal of the law by congress last summer over President Wilson's veto, according to the National Daylight association. Daylight, at least, is supplied at no higher rates than before the war.

The cities and towns which have adopted daylight saving ordinances include the following:

New York-New York city, Buf- 3 falo, Cohoes, Troy, Utica, Syracuse,

New Jersey-Camden, Plainfield, New Brunswick, Hoboken, Jersey City. Massachusetts - Clinton, Lynn,

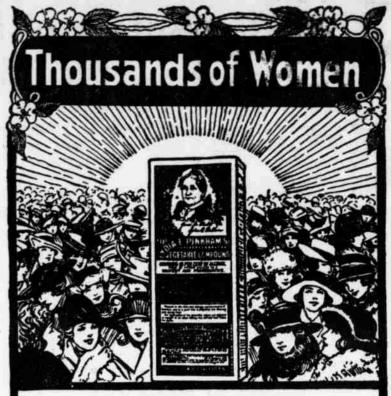
Worcester, Marlboro. Pennsylvania-Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Corry, Allentown, Harrisburg, Easton.

Connecticut-Hartford, Putnam. Maine-Portland, South Portland. New Hampshire-Manchester. Michigan-Detroit, St. Joseph,

Colorado-Denver. Ohio-Columbus.

Delaware-Wilmington. "We do not expect any confusion," said Marcus M. Marks, president of the organization which has been fighting for the daylight saving. "The time sdopted by New York city, for instance, is automatically observed by all cities and towns within a radius of 50 miles or more of the metropolis. The same can be said of Philadelphia and Pittsburgh.

Its adoption by New York city, however, materially affected business hours and conditions in stock and trade markets in many parts of the country.



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Fall River, Mass. — "Three years ago I gave birth to a little girl and after she was born I did not pick up well. I doctored for two months and my condition remained the same. One day one of your little books was left at of your little books was left at my door and my husband sug-gested that I try a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-pound. I started it immediately and I felt better and could eat better after the first bottle, and continued taking it for some time. Last year I gave birth to a baby boy and had a much easier time as I took the Vegetable Compoundfor four months before baby came. On getting up I had no pains like I had before, and no dizziness, and in two weeks felt about as well as ever."—Mrs. THOMAS WILKINSON, 363 Columbia Street, Fall River, Mass.

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"Then I came home and started on
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Milks Emulsion. Thank God 1 did, as it did me a lot of good right from the start, loosening up the coal dust in my right lung. In a few weeks my lungs were free. I could sleep like a baby, had an excellent appetite and my cough left me entirely. I gained back 30 pounds in weight and went back to work in the mines completely restored to health."-G. H. Bunn, 6th Ave. & No. 13th St., Terre Thousands of victims of dust-filled air

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